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District Court Proceedings.

The fall term of district court convened here at 10 o'clock, A. M. Wednesday, November 4th. Present were: Hon. R. H. Burney, District Judge; Hon. L. J. Brucks, District Attorney; August Kempf, District Clerk; and J. F. Bader, Sheriff.

The following grand jury was empaneled: Jacob Reily, Louis F. Rothe, L. A. Haby, Tom McClaugherty, Frank Keller, Geo. W. Miller, Aug. Schott, L. J. Finger, O. E. Lacy, G. B. Noonan, Arch Morris, J. P. Nixon. Jacob Reily was appointed foreman.

J. H. Henderson was appointed door bailiff; C. C. Rogers, foot bailiff; and Emil Boehle, Henry Moore, Adolph Pichot, Joe Mangold and Ed Barnett, mounted bailiffs.

The following petit jury was empaneled: Max Bippert, Joe Tachirhart, Joe Kempf, Louis Jungmann, Robert Reitzer, Ben Mann, F. A. Hicks, Henry Butts, T. M. Johnson, George Blatz, Wm. Leinweber, Jos. Koch, Nick Fohn, Geo. Christilles, Wm. Finger, Albert Keller, Ben Gerdies, Chas. Haby, J. J. Poerner, Hubert Burger, Henry Bendele, Claude Gilliam, L. Morris and Ed Finger.

Wm. Schlentz, S. B. Heath and Joseph Gross were excused.

The criminal docket was set for the trial of cases on Monday, November 9, 1914, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

P. E. McAnelly vs. I. & G. N. Ry. Co. et al., damage suit for personal injuries inflicted. This case was called for trial November 4th, before the following jury: Henry Bendele, Hubert Burger, Max Bippert, Wm. Leinweber, Jos. Tachirhart, Geo. Blatz, Robert Reitzer, Nic Fohn, F. A. Hicks, Chas. Haby, Ben Mann and Wm. Finger. The case was still in the hands of the jury Saturday morning.

Gone Home.

After an illness of several weeks' duration, death came to still the pain and suffering of Mrs. J. M. Mobley early Tuesday morning, November 3, 1914, and an aged mother in Israel gently fell asleep, soothed and comforted by an unfaltering trust. Her remains were tenderly laid away in the old cemetery late Wednesday evening, Rev. F. G. Moses conducting the funeral services.

Mrs. Nancy Mobley (nee Pierce) was born Nov. 23, 1833, in Copiah County, Mississippi. She was married to J. M. Mobley Dec. 23, 1858. To this union was born six children—four girls and two boys. One boy and two girls died in young childhood. She survived by her aged husband and one son, W. E. Mobley of Morgan-town, West Va., and two daughters, Mrs. E. J. Wolff, who lives near Hondo, Texas, and Mrs. M. M. Miller of Hondo, and nine grandchildren. She joined the Missionary Baptist church in girlhood and lived a member of that church through life. In the fall of 1883, with her husband and children, she moved to Texas where she had lived ever since. She leaves, besides husband and children, two brothers and five sisters and a host of other relatives to mourn her.

After a long life and like the falling of the petals of a full-blown rose, a good woman has gone to sleep in death in the faith of a glad awakening in the spring-time of eternity. May that faith that was her strength in the hour of death be the solace of those who are left to mourn.

Praetorians Organize.

The Hondo Local Council of the Modern Order of Praetorians, a fraternal insurance organization of excellent standing, which has its national headquarters at Dallas, was called together Wednesday night by Messrs. Lawrence and Ory, organizers. Four new members were received. General business was transacted and the following officers for the year were elected:

Sublime Augustus, Thos. McClaugherty.
Senior Tribune, D. E. Beal.
Junior Tribune, John A. Wiemers.
Recorder, J. T. Horger.
Soothe Sayer, C. R. Gaines.
Lygean, Hugh F. Woods.
Attorney, V. P. King.
First Centurion, Geo. E. Neuman.
Second Centurion, Mrs. Willie N. aines.
Sentinel, R. H. Hudspeth.
Praetorian Queen and Musician, Miss Ethel E. Gaines.

A number of second hand cars for sale cheap. See them at the Hondo Auto Sales Co. garage.

TEXAS' NEW GOVERNOR



HON. JAMES E. FERGUSON

The Election.

The election passed off quietly last Tuesday. Some gains were made by the Republicans in the Congressional races over the country, but the Democrats retain control of Congress.

The Republicans elected the Governor of New York, and returned Joe Cannon to Congress from Illinois. The Democrats defeated the Republican governor of Tennessee. The Progressive party made only a feeble showing.

Elsewhere will be found a comparative table of the result in the county as to the governorship race and the contested county offices.

There is also a table of the precinct offices of precinct one.

The figures tell their own story of victory or defeat.

In the Castroville Commissioners precinct H. F. Wurzbach was elected Commissioner over Ed Jungmann and Wm. F. Naegelin. In the Devine and D'Hanis Commissioners precincts, G. B. Grant and J. B. Ney were each returned without opposition.

The majority was against all three of the proposed Amendments in this county and meagre returns from the state indicate that they fared little if any better elsewhere.

Notice.

We have just received a shipment of "Mixtrite" horse and mule feed. It is composed of black strap molasses, alfalfa, meal, oats, corn and other ingredients, scientifically proportioned. It is recommended by the users to be cheaper and better than a grain feed for all kinds of stock. Try a sack. We guarantee satisfaction.

HONDO COMMISSION CO.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of extending our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during the last illness and at the death and funeral of our beloved wife and mother.

Respectfully,
J. M. MOBLEY,
and children.

For Sale.

Jersey milk cow, Fresh.
2t. W. H. WINDROW.

Married.

The marriage of Augustus C. Rothe of D'Hanis and Miss Teresa Courand was solemnized Thursday morning, Nov. 5, 1914, at St. Joseph's Church, San Antonio, Rev. Father W. A. Fuhrwerk conducting the solemn nuptial mass. Palms, ferns and white chrysanthemums decorated the church. Tall palms stood in the sanctuary and against the altar rail a profusion of ferns and white chrysanthemums were banded. The pews for the family were marked by big bows of white maline, holding bouquets of white chrysanthemums and fern. The wedding march was played by Mr. Schumacher. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Joseph Courand. She was attended by Miss Julie Courand and as maid of honor and Miss Alma Rothe of D'Hanis as bridesmaid. Ernest Rothe acted as best man, with Oscar Rothe of D'Hanis as groomsmen and Anton and George Mandry as ushers.

The bride wore a gown of white crepe meteor with a tunic and bodice of princess lace, the bodice made with a cape effect of the lace. Her veil of tulle was held in place with a Juliet cup of the lace and lilies of the valley and she carried a shower bouquet of brides' roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Courand was gowned in white crepe de chine with a garniture of Irish point lace and Miss Rothe in white messaline and lace and Miss Rothe in white messaline and lace with a tunic and bodice of the lace. Both wore bridesmaids caps of white maline and carried arm bouquets of white chrysanthemums.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal party were honor guests at a wedding breakfast at the St. Anthony. The table, laid in the tapestry room, was in the shape of a horseshoe and decorated with a profusion of American beauty roses and red carnations. At each plate were small white satin boxes holding portions of the wedding cake. A five-course breakfast was served and covers laid for thirty-seven, only immediate friends and relatives being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothe left yesterday afternoon for a wedding trip in California and after December 1 will be at home at Seco. Mrs. Rothe's going-away gown was of dark blue with hat and accessories to match.

RETURNS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION

Held in Medina County, Tuesday, November 3, 1914

PRECINCT	1. N. Hondo	2. Quibi	3. Dunlap	4. Verdina	5. San Antonio	6. Castroville	7. D'Hanis	8. Haass	9. Naralla	10. East Devine	11. Black Creek	12. Vancay	13. Maverick	14. Bury	15. Lacoste	16. South Hondo	17. Upper Hondo	18. Elstons	19. West Devine	Total
Total Vote Polled	187	110	51	21	61	203	159	13	30	74	35	65	24	38	96	210	13	27	146	1563
Governor																				
J. E. Ferguson	136	61	46	19	48	162	113	11	23	58	30	45	23	30	89	152	10	9	127	1185
F. M. Etheridge	2	4	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
John W. Philp	21	24	3	0	5	19	34	2	1	2	2	0	0	3	7	15	1	10	10	169
E. R. Meitzen	2	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	0	1	17
K. E. Choate	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
County Judge																				
H. E. Haass	106	84	21	12	34	62	83	10	11	33	28	24	16	23	25	42	2	16	77	745
R. J. Noonan	79	24	28	9	27	139	75	3	18	40	6	39	8	14	67	114	11	11	63	768
Tax Assessor																				
F. E. Heath	73	45	37	10	36	61	122	5	22	55	29	30	19	23	62	101	1	10	90	831
F. G. Muennink	109	61	13	11	25	137	34	8	7	17	5	34	5	15	34	102	11	17	50	695
Treasurer																				
J. G. Heyn	23	16	1	2	6	0	5	0	6	14	15	21	2	1	3	52	2	5	14	181
Emil Britsch	80	67	27	13	13	29	91	8	14	32	16	38	4	3	15	63	10	14	97	634
J. J. Droitecourt	77	24	22	5	47	165	61	5	7	24	3	6	18	33	79	88	1	8	31	704
Sheriff																				
J. F. Bader	109	83	49	13	47	173	136	12	5	18	4	13	21	29	84	103	13	23	29	964
D. B. Martin	35	11	0	5	2	11	10	1	1	0	3	8	2	3	7	40	0	3	6	148
D. S. Roberson	33	4	1	3	3	8	5	0	18	53	27	37	1	5	3	51	0	0	106	358

Mother's Club Meeting.

The Hondo Mother's Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at the school building next Monday afternoon at four o'clock.

The principal feature of the meeting will be an able discussion of the subject: "The Combined Responsibilities of Mother's and Teachers" by Mrs. Geo. W. Jones and Miss Mantele Yarborough.

All members of the Club and those interested in its work are urged to attend.

To The Voters of Medina County.

I take these means of expressing my sincere thanks and appreciation to the voters and citizens of Medina County for their vote and loyal support given me in the race for tax assessor.

Assuring one and all, that my best wishes and good will go with Mr. L. E. Heath as our tax assessor, and that I bear no animosity or ill will toward anyone.

Respectfully,
F. G. MUENNINK.

To The Voters of Medina County.

I take these means of expressing my appreciation for your vote and support in my re-election to the office of County Superintendent.

Assuring one and all that I will endeavor to work for the betterment of schools and for the advancement of education in Medina County in the future as I have done in the past.

Respectfully yours,
W. N. SAATHOFF.

ARE YOU READY FOR ANOTHER COLD SNAP?

Don't you need something to protect you from the cold, for yourself or for your children? Now is the time to examine your winter supply of clothing and see what you need for the next spell of cold weather

We have prepared for your examination a complete stock of Winter Clothing for Men, Women and Children. It will not require a large sum to meet your necessities at the prices we are quoting in our store.

BIG SAVINGS ON MEN'S CLOTHING

We guarantee to save you from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on every Suit or Overcoat you buy from us, and we want you to compare our garments with others around town, then we are sure you will buy from us.

Men's Suits, \$7 to \$20, the same that others sell for \$10 to \$25. Men's Overcoats, \$5 to \$20 Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Priced at \$2 to \$8.

LADIES' COAT SUITS AND COATS

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MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS

from \$1.50 to \$8.00. SWEATERS for Men, Women and Children, from 25c to \$3.50. Come in any time and see how much you can save by buying from us.

BLANKETS and QUILTS, 50c to \$5.00

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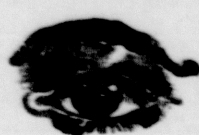
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Dependancy Due to Indigestion.

It is not at all surprising that persons who have indigestion become discouraged and dependant. Here are a few words of hope and cheer for them by Mrs. Blanche Bowers, Indiana, Pa.: "For years my digester was so poor that I could only eat the lightest food. I tried every thing that I heard of to get relief, but not until about a year ago when I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised as got a bottle of them, did I find the right treatment. I soon began to improve, and since taking a few bottles of them my digestion is fine." For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Nine times out of a possible ten it costs the man who is elected to office a lot of money to convince his opponent that he was the people's choice.

Guarantee The Magic Washing Stick.

The Magic Washing Stick is guaranteed to save all washboard labor on wash day, and to make the clothes white as snow. Contains no acid, alkali or poison of any character and can be used with perfect safety on the most delicate fabric. Lifts the burden of work from the women-folks. Price 25c per box containing three Magic Washing Sticks, enough for fifteen big snowy white washings. Ask grocer or druggist. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

It takes a woman to jolly a man into a condition that will enable her to work him.

The Wonderful Magic Washing Stick.

The Magic Washing Stick, the greatest helper woman ever had with her washing, and I have been singing its praise to my neighbor. writes Mrs. Mollie Martin, Route 3, Apache, Okla. It is truly a wonderful article, saving all the washboard labor on washday. Three Magic Washing Sticks for 25c. Enough for fifteen big washings. Makes clothes white as snow. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

Nothing jolts a liar more than to have another chap beat him at his own game.

The Magic Washing Stick.

I am perfectly delighted with the Magic Washing Stick. It makes the clothes so pretty and white and it saves time and labor. I would give it for nothing I have ever used. I can recommend it highly as a labor saver as you don't have to rub the clothes at all, writes Mrs. M. A. Graham, Dustin, Okla. Guaranteed to contain no lye, acid, alkali or any injurious ingredient. A truly wonderful article. Three Magic Washing Sticks for 25c. Sold by Grocers and Druggists or sent by mail. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

The worst ordeal a small boy has to face is plenty of pie and a limited capacity.

Stops Rheumatic Pain Right Now.

It is astonishing how quickly Hant's Lightning Oil relieves pain. Rub it on and the hurting fades away almost instantly. That's why so many people keep it in their home for one never knows when they will need this excellent liniment. For Neuralgia, headache and the like there is nothing better. Sold by all Druggists in 25c and 50c bottles.

How a busy man does enjoy setting two chronic bones to doing each other!

Remarkable Cure of Croup.

"Last winter when my little boy had croup I got him a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I honestly believe it saved his life," writes Mrs. J. B. Cook, Indiana, Pa. "It cut the phlegm and relieved his coughing spells. I am most grateful for what this remedy has done for him." For sale by All Dealers.

Our idea of a smart young man is one who succeeds in taming his wild outs.

Children who have worms are pale, cross, fretful and sickly most of the time. To rid the little body of these parasites White's Cream Vermifuge is an approved remedy. When the worms have been driven out, the child grows strong, healthy and robust. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

The first time a girl goes to Europe she expects a proposal from a prince.

In damp, chilly weather there is always a large demand for Ballard's Snow Liniment because many people who know by experience its great relieving power in rheumatic aches and pains prepare to apply it at the first twinge. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Well, why shouldn't a green grocer all in love with a green yellow.

How To Give Quinine To Children.

BERLIN is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not nauseate nor cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2-ounce original package. The name BERLIN is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

The fashionable ball gown represents one kind of weather strip.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure The worst case, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

IS YOUR BLOOD RICH?

Poor Blood is the indirect cause of much winter sickness—it allows chills, invites colds and sickness.

Nourishment alone makes blood—not drugs or liquors—and the nourishing food in Scott's Emulsion charges summer blood with winter richness and increases the red corpuscles.

Its Cod Liver Oil warms the body, fortifies the lungs, and alleviates rheumatic tendencies.

YOUR DRUGGIST HAS IT.
14-45 SHUN SUBSTITUTES.

FAIR EXCHANGE.

A New Back for an Old One. How It Can Be Done in Hondo.

The back aches at times with a dull, indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, and again the loins are so lame that to stoop is agony. No use to rub or apply a plaster to the back if the kidneys are weak. You cannot reach the cause. Hondo residents would do well to profit by the following example.

J. W. Bender, painter, Main St., Kerrville, Texas, says: "My kidney complaint was caused by a strain in my back and kidneys from lifting. The first symptom was a stitch across my back which kept me in misery. Whenever I stooped to pick up anything, a sharp pain caught me across my back. At one time I was hardly able to be about for ten days. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and a few boxes cured me. Since then, on a few occasions I have used them as a preventive and have been free from any return attack. I cannot too highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers."

G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

WEST BOUND
No. 7 Arrives..... 1:00 P. M.
No. 9 Arrives..... 11:20 P. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 10 Arrives..... 7:07 P. M.
No. 8 Arrives..... 9:18 A. M.
P. JUNGMAN, JR., Agent.

Best Cough Medicine for Children.

"Three years ago when I was living in Pittsburg one of my children had a hard cold and coughed dreadfully. Upon the advice of a druggist I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it benefited him at once. I find it the best cough medicine for children because it is pleasant to take. They do not object to taking it," writes Mrs. Lafayette Luck, Homer City, Pa. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. Sold by All Dealers.

Don't blame your wife's relations. You selected them yourself.

In severe cases of sore lungs, you need an internal and external remedy. Buy the dollar size Ballard's Horehound Syrup, you get two remedies for the price of one. With every dollar bottle there is a free Herrick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster for the chest. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

If a bachelor has an opinion of his own he should annex a wife.

Chilblains, frosted feet or hands, can be cured with one or two applications of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It quickly relieves itching or tenderness of the flesh. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Even a poor barber is seldom as unsatisfactory as a bad razor.

Regulate the bowels when they fail to move properly. Herbine is an admirable bowel regulator. It helps the liver and stomach and restores a fine feeling of strength and buoyancy. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Fortunate is the man who can see the finish of his enemies.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Some people talk so much that they have no time to do.

Important.

Bear in mind that Chamberlain's Tablets not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. For sale by All Dealers.

Wisdom is never by common sense in an uncommon degree.

Dick Headache.

This distressing disease results from a disordered condition of the stomach, and can be cured by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. For sale by All Dealers.

A woman's mirror casts and causes a variety of reflections.

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Bender had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

With some people there's no such word as enough.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

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Only One "BROMO QUININE"

To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Stops cough and bronchitis, and works off cold. 25c.

HOUSTON'S GREAT WATERWAY COMPLETED

REASON FOR THE DEEP WATER JUBILEE TO BE HELD AT HOUSTON NOV. 9 TO 15.

ALL TEXAS TO CELEBRATE

Thousands WILL Meet at No-Tsu-Chi in November to Celebrate the Completion of the \$2,500,000 Waterway.

There is a reason for the Deep Water Jubilee to be held in Houston November 9-15. Primarily, the celebration is to be because of the completion of the Houston Ship Channel after nine years of work.

But the big idea is also involved. In the completion of the Ship Channel there is a new system which, if generally adopted, will save to the United States government millions of dollars each year; will cut out a lot of waste and will within a short time put many new ports along the coasts of the United States.

The big idea is this: Houston paid half of the money expended on that Ship Channel. She showed her faith in the enterprise by digging down into her own sock and matching dollars with Uncle Sam. The government engineers estimated the cost of the channel at \$2,500,000 and Houston made a proposition to the congress. Uncle Joe Cannon was the presiding genius then. He readily accepted the plan and it was so endorsed by the congress.

Houston's representatives told Speaker Cannon, as the representative of the congress—and they later reiterated it to the rivers and harbors committee—that Houston had a real deep water project, not just a little creek into which the dollars of the national government might be dumped at regular intervals and thus make business good for a few contractors and incidentally bring a little money into the town. But that the Houston proposition meant a new harbor on the gulf coast to care for the growing business of the great West and Southwest. That Houston would put up half the amount needed for the project.

The congress saw a light and accepted it. Houston lost not a minute's time. Just as soon as the formalities could be gone through with a bond issue of \$1,250,000 was voted, the money was realized and the entire sum was turned over to the secretary of war with the request that he would get busy. The secretary saw a prospective saving to the country if the Houston project were successful and he put good men on the job. The contract was let and work was begun without loss of time.

The contractors not only performed their contract faithfully, but they did more than they agreed to do and made a channel of twenty-six feet instead of twenty-five. The total cost came within a few thousand dollars of what the estimate had been and the action of the people of Houston has been vindicated. They showed their faith in their own proposition and today they have a channel which is better than the one asked for.

The Houston Ship Channel is completed and is the first project to be completed under the plan of share-and-share alike with the federal government.

But the channel is without docks. The city of Houston will have to build them. The contract for the first of these will be let within a short time. It is to cost \$300,000 and will consist of a pier and a fireproof warehouse. It is only the beginning. When the system is finally brought to its full fruition—it will never be completed until water transportation has become obsolete—there will be a great turning basin from which ships will project into the land alongside warehouses and piers equipped electrically with every device for speedy loading and unloading. It will be necessary to widen the channel in the upper reaches and this will cost other thousands.

So that, as a matter of fact, the "completion" of the channel merely means the beginning of the expenditure of millions of dollars of money by the public, the railroads, the steamship companies, the exporters and the importers.

All of this can not be accomplished in a brief period of time, but it is necessary, therefore Houston will do it. Faith in the project has been intensified, as evidenced by the fact that one citizen of Houston, a big land owner, has made a proposition to deed to the city of Houston without cost a site for the first warehouse. Of course, it will help his property. But it will be several years before it will help it to the extent of the several thousands of dollars worth of land he is giving the city.

The Southern Pacific, the Frisco, the International, the Katy, the Belt and Terminal company have all shown their faith in the project by acquiring land for docks and piers along the Ship Channel. Later there will also be built a municipal belt line to connect all the docks and terminals. The city of Houston proposes to make the docks free to the commerce of the world. The ships of all nations may lay alongside them to take on and to discharge cargo and not have a cent to pay for the privilege. Of course there must be payment for the equipment provided for the loading and unloading and for the use of the warehouses for storing stuff. But those charged will be so fixed as not to be burdensome and only to care for the legitimate improvements, cost of equipment and the overhead charges.

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THE CITY SALOON

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A splendid assortment of Wines, Liquors and Cigars

The Buckhorn Saloon

T. J. SAUTER, Proprietor

DEALER IN

Wines, Liquors, Beer and Cigars

Edgewood Whiskey a Specialty

Leinweber's Old Stand...

Hondo, Texas

The Favorite Saloon

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Handles the Best of

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Box candy—all sizes and prices—at Hutzler's.

Fresh Grape Fruit and Pine Apples at Heyen's.

Ladies, order your coat suits from S. G. Carter.

Amandus Huegele was here Monday from D'Hanis.

Mrs. Effie Sanders is a late addition to our list of readers.

Commissioner J. B. Ney was over from D'Hanis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Finger were here Wednesday from D'Hanis.

W. B. Garrison enlists with our corps of readers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. August H. Stiegler were passengers east Tuesday.

Eugene Mosfield was a business visitor to San Antonio Tuesday.

We can use several loads of cordwood and stumps on subscription.

Mrs. Roswell Ward and baby returned Wednesday from a visit east.

Let us have your order for a shop-made wagon bed. L. A. Mechler & Co.

1915 BUICK, Model 25 C. Sample in stock. The quality car. C. R. Gaines.

George Christilles came up Tuesday from Lacoste to attend district court.

Dr. W. H. Smith was an Alamo City visitor Monday, returning Tuesday.

Jos. M. Koch, the D'Hanis merchant, is a district court juror this week.

Capt. D. B. Lindsey of San Antonio was among Wednesday's visitors to Hondo.

Mrs. Joe Huesser Jr. returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives at Castroville.

W. A. Luckenbach of Lacoste is a late addition to our happy band of readers.

Ed A. Tschirhart, the Castroville Blacksmith, was here Wednesday on business.

P. M. Koch and L. L. Simms were over from D'Hanis Wednesday in the latter's auto.

Mrs. Effie Sanders returned to San Antonio Sunday after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schmidt and Willie Bendele were in town from Black Creek Saturday.

Herman Bippert and Ed Hans were here Wednesday from Klomedina and Castroville on business.

Rudolph Posch was up from Biry Wednesday to bring in the election returns from the Biry box.

Uncle Charlie Stone left Wednesday for Austin to attend the annual reunion of the Terry's Rangers.

Miss Evelyn de Montel went to San Antonio Wednesday to attend the Rothe-Courand nuptials Thursday.

Henry Bendele was up from Black Creek Wednesday to bring in the returns from the Haass Settlement box.

Let me put your picks, grubbing hoes, plows, etc., in shape for beginning a new year's work. B. C. Manis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bendele and children of Black Creek spent Sunday at the Folk ranch on the Upper Hondo.

For Rent, Your choice of four rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply to H. A. Mercer at Windrow's Drug Store.

Mrs. R. E. Bohmfalk and baby and grandma Heickmann returned Wednesday from a fourteen days visit to relatives at Senior.



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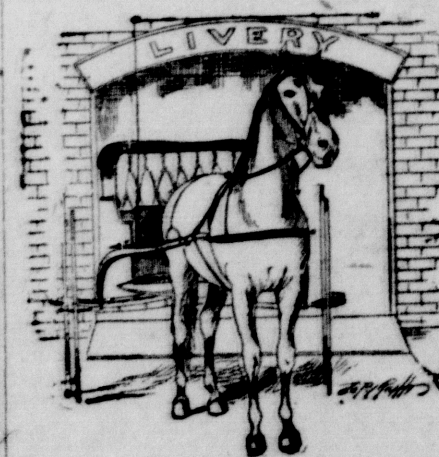
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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Finger visited home-folks in D'Hanis Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Pete Koch and children and Mrs. Albert Nester of D'Hanis visited relatives here Wednesday.

Mesdames Eugene Grimsinger and Aug. Garteiser visited relatives and friends in D'Hanis Saturday.

Bring me your wagons and buggies for all kinds of repairs. Satisfaction guaranteed. B. C. Manis.



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This paper only \$1.00 a year. Try it Rain-coats, \$4 and up at S. G. Carter's.

L. E. Heath visited in D'Hanis Saturday.

Cigars and smoking tobacco at Fritz Heyen's.

Dr. Fletcher was a D'Hanis visitor Saturday.

Nick Fohn was over from D'Hanis Wednesday.

For all kinds of nuts go to Hutzler's confectionery.

Jacob Reilly of D'Hanis was a Hondo visitor Wednesday.

Every battery tested before being sent out. C. R. Gaines.

F. Kilhorn made a business trip to Blackaller's ranch Wednesday.

Don't fail to see the new winter hats just arrived at Mrs. Locklin's.

Why pay \$25 or \$30 for a suit when you can get it for \$15 at S. G. Carter's?

We are ready to set your wagon tires on short notice. Mechler & Co. 48-tf

All we ask is a chance to make one garment for you. S. G. Carter, Tailor.

F. Kilhorn and R. Applewhite, the tanners, were passengers to San Antonio Thursday.

Lost, A 2-months old unmarked pig. Taker up will please notify Wallace Heath, telephone 135.

When you are in town and get hungry drop around at Callahan's Restaurant next door to P. O.

For Sale, at a bargain if taken at once, a few head of registered Duroc Jersey red pigs. See Tom Heath.

J. C. Ethridge, stock-claim agent of the G. H. & S. A. Ry., was here Thursday on business for his company.

Just received by Eugen Huesser, a car-load of the celebrated Mitchell wagons. See them before buying elsewhere.

Joe Poerner, August Schott and J. D. Kempf of Devine and Joe Tschirhart of Noonan came in Tuesday to attend district court.

Miss Vera Jones returned to Sabinal Tuesday after a pleasant stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jones, at this place.

For first class cleaning and pressing phone the City Tailor Shop, Phone 125, we will call for your clothes and deliver them promptly.

H. F. Cameron arrived here Wednesday from Ged, Louisiana, on a visit to his mother, Mrs. H. L. Cameron, and other relatives.

Wanted, To buy all kinds of chickens. Will pay highest cash price when delivered at my restaurant at the Buckhorn Saloon. L. Morris.

Albert Neumann was one of the few lucky hunters who bagged a fine buck on his first day out. He has our thanks for a nice mess of the venison.

Hereafter there will be only three shows weekly at the Star Theatre—Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights. Remember the nights and be sure to attend.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Heath Monday, Nov. 2, 1914, twins—a boy and a girl. Mother and children are doing well and the father is gradually recovering!

Prof. M. F. Kennedy, the principal of the D'Hanis school, was here Saturday visiting friends and attended the Holloween party at the Rebekah hall in the evening.

Charles E. Davis, the Southwest Texas Paper Co. salesman, was here Thursday and sold this office a new supply of job stock. Bring on your orders for printing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schuchart and Miss Gladys Schuchart were here from Cliff Wednesday. Mr. Schuchart came down to bring in the election returns from that box.

Mesdames Tom Heath, Geo. W. Jones, R. P. Thomas, Wm. A. Schmitt and Miss Lena Stone went to San Antonio Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Mother's Congress.

M. Herweck and family have moved into the W. B. Odom house near the waterworks and Geo. Schmidt and family have moved from the ranch into the Greer house which Mr. Schmidt recently purchased.

Miss Myrtle Miller, who is studying to be a trained nurse, came out from San Antonio Tuesday to attend the funeral of her grandmother, the late Mrs. J. M. Mobley. She returned Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Henry Garrett, wife of one of the substantial citizens of the colored colony, died at her home on the creek at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Nov. 1, 1914, and was buried the following day. The family has the sympathy of both races in their sorrow.

Louis Schorp was here yesterday on his way to look at a string of about 500 steers which he will put on his pasture at Pearsall provided the quality is all right when he sees them. Mr. Schorp is a native of Medina County and is eligible to membership in the organization of the old trailmen and has already told George Saunders to put him down for a badge and a seat at the table with the old-timers when they reach San Antonio next March.—San Antonio Express.

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Buy your groceries at the Palace of Sweets.

Order that Rain-Coat from S. G. Carter.

Order your next suit from the City Tailor Shop.

Gentlemen, order your suits tailor-made from S. G. Carter.

Eugene Grimsinger visited his many friends at D'Hanis Tuesday.

New stock of Columbia batteries always on hand. C. R. Gaines.

Mrs. L. E. Heath and children spent Saturday with relatives at D'Hanis.

Messrs. Chas. Sayers and Jack Droitcourt were D'Hanis visitors Tuesday.

1915 BUICK, Model 25 C. Sample in stock. The quality car. C. R. Gaines.

Wanted, Man or boy to milk and attend to a bunch of cows. See Tom Heath.

Ladies, why buy a ready-made suit when you can get it made-to-measure at S. G. Carter's?

Wm. Folk succeeded in bagging his first deer last Sunday, the opening day of the hunting season.

The ladies of the Christian Church will give a turkey dinner at the Ward Building November 11th.

The Cemetery Association dinner Thursday was well patronized and netted a neat sum of money.

Stay with your old home paper when times are hard. It needs you then more than at any other time.

Messrs. Wm. and Henry Meyer were here from Dunlay yesterday and paid this office a business call.

Before buying a new hack or buggy call on Wm. F. Neumann and let him show you the Moon and Hercules lines.

Miss Annie Winkler and Mr. Otto Heines came out from San Antonio Wednesday on a visit to the Folk family.

Miss Alice Crabtree has returned home after spending several days in D'Hanis, the guest of Miss Della Sauter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack J. Droitcourt and children returned yesterday from a pleasant visit to relatives at Castroville and Lacoste.

Clyde Holloway, Ben Miller, Charlie Berry and Clarence VanFleet autted to Moore, Pearsall and Diley Saturday, returning Sunday.

Hondo shipped thirteen cars of corn and a car of cotton seed this week. Two cars of seed and a car of wood were shipped from Quilt siding.

The foot-ball game Saturday between Uvalde and Hondo High Schools on the local gridiron resulted in a score of 30 to 0 in favor of Hondo.

Rev. Father Shaw will conduct a mission for 8 days beginning at 9:30 A. M. Sunday Nov. 15th. All Catholics and Non-Catholics are invited.

Up to Oct. 18th this year, there have been ginned 13,945 bales of cotton in Medina County, as reported by Gin Statistician J. P. Lippold. Up to the same date last year their had been only 11,272 bales ginned.

Attention is called to the official statements of our local banks which appear elsewhere. These solid institutions have not been hurt by the European war and make a good showing despite the low price of cotton.

At the regular meeting of the local lodge of Masons Saturday night one candidate was given the Master's degree. At a called meeting Monday night one candidate was given the first and another the second degrees.

The Texas Oil Company has recently placed an order for 20 cars of "Mixrite" horse and mule feed, to be shipped to their different stations throughout the South. They say it is better and cheaper than grain. Try a sack. Hondo Commission Co.

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"I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me," writes Mrs. L. Dunlap of Oak Grove, Mich. "I have suffered with pains in my back and under my shoulder blade for a number of years, also with a poor appetite and constipation. I tried all of the remedies that I heard of, and a number of doctors, but got no relief. Finally a friend told me to try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I got a bottle of them and they soon helped my stomach; by their gentle action my bowels became more regular. Today I feel like praising them to all who suffer as I did, for they have cured me and made my life worth living."



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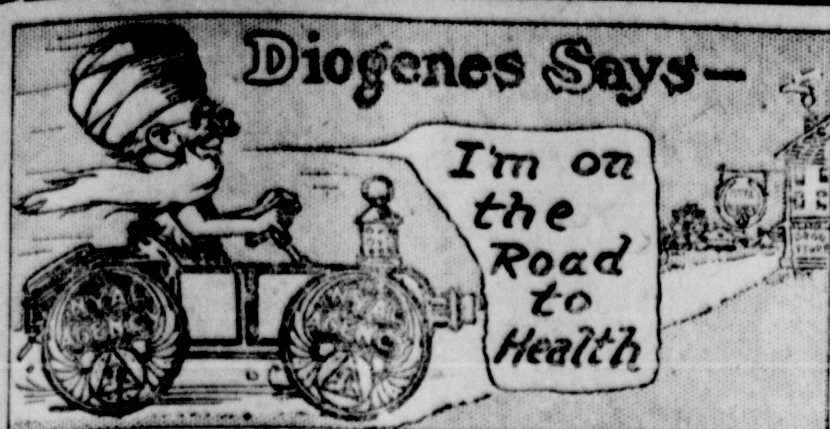
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Patronize our advertisers; it pays. Louis Rihn was up from Biry yesterday.

Fresh fruit daily at the Palace of Sweets.

All kinds of fruit in season at F. A. Heyen's.

Aug. Schuehle was a D'Hanis visitor Wednesday.

Fresh fruits of all kinds at Hutzler'sfectionery.

J. H. Hearne was over from D'Hanis Thursday.

Made-to-measure Knickerbocker suits S. G. Carter's.

Fresh chocolates and all kind of candy at Hutzler's.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch visited in Hanis Wednesday.

Great Suits that are tailor-made are best kind. S. G. Carter.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for dollar—less than two cents a week.

Jacob Koch Sr. and son, Alfred, of Hanis were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Phone 125, the City Tailor Shop, on your clothes need cleaning or pressing.

Some bargains in good second-hand clothes. The prices will surprise you. E. Games.

Coconuts, English walnuts, cranberries and Fruit Cake ingredients at A. Heyen's.

Miss Elfrieda Rummel is here from Antonio on a visit to her sister, O. J. Hilgers.

August Schott, Joe Tschirhart, and Bert Burger were pleasant callers at his office yesterday.

Ms. Lee Cameron is here from Hanis on a visit to her parents, and Mrs. B. G. Collier.

When you need the services of a Public call at the Anvil Herald or ring telephone 127.

and the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be weekly news-letter to them.

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Sold by Wm. F. Neumann.

The Hondo Basket Ball girls are going to Uvalde today to play the team of the Uvalde High School.

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Louis Heath Sr. came up from the Chicon yesterday.

Mrs. P. Jungman was an Alamo City visitor Tuesday.

Judge M. Schorobyn was in town yesterday on business.

C. O. Walker of San Antonio was a Hondo visitor Tuesday.

Milton Schmitt was a passenger to San Antonio yesterday.

Armin Bendele paid this office a business call Thursday.

C. J. Monkhouse made a business trip to Sabinal Thursday.

M. L. Saathoff was down from Tarpley this week on business.

Messrs. Joe Fohn and T. J. Sauter visited in D'Hanis Saturday.

I. L. Sims and B. M. Gilbert were over from D'Hanis yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Fletcher and C. W. Gillem were Devine visitors last weekend.

Messrs. Lee Sims and Rolan! Moore were here from D'Hanis Saturday night.

For Sale, A 9-acre block of land half a mile south of depot at Hondo. J. A. Blackburn, Devine, Texas.

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For Sale or Trade, our entire Livery & Feed Stables in Hondo, Texas. We own the only Livery Stable here and it will make a good business for someone. McClaugherty & Horger.

The Anvil Herald does job printing. The paper is unavoidably late this week.

Henry Finger of D'Hanis visited here Wednesday.

Meals served at all hours at the Palace of Sweets.

Emil Graff was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

D. Lindeburg was a business caller at this office Thursday.

W. H. Hearne of D'Hanis was a business visitor here Saturday.

We can't give you a suit but we can give you a fit. S. G. Carter.

Box Apples in large variety and reasonable prices at F. A. Heyen's.

For good sewing machines cheap call on C. M. Griffith, the second hand man.

Mrs. Cora Ware left yesterday morning for San Marcos on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. F. A. Martin and sister, Miss Hulda Muennink, visited San Antonio Thursday, returning Friday.

Just received—Pictorial Review patterns and also Pictorial Review Magazines. Sugarman Supply Co.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Equip your Ford with a set of Ford Presto Demountable Rims. We have them in stock. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Rev. Alexander, the new Methodist pastor, and wife arrived here Thursday and are domiciled at the parsonage.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sorrells, Thursday, November 5th. Mother and child are doing well.

For Sale, Two gentle work mules, 5 and 6 years old. Apply to Willie Boehle, Dunlay, Texas, telephone 2 R. 2-1. 2mo. pd.

Wm. Renken and wife were up from Noonan yesterday on a visit to their daughters, Mesdames Ferd. Kilhorn and Fritz De Grodt.

Schroeder & Bauman have moved their tin shop from the old Baptist church building to the building recently vacated by G. W. Hale.

We wish to go to press with this paper soon after noon on Friday of each week and in order to do so must have copy in early—please.

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Bailey Rogers is another addition to our growing list of subscribers and W. A. Luckenbach of Lacoste also wanted the news, and, of course, subscribed to this paper.

I have opened a first-class restaurant in the Mask building. Good 25c meals at regular hours. Short orders at all hours from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m. Give me a trial. R. G. Knowles. 49tf

Among the attorneys here for district court this week from out of town are: Hon. R. H. Burney, Jno. T. Briscoe, Mack Kercheville, J. Ira Kercheville, Marshall Eskridge and J. P. Dewald.

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Rev. M. K. Fred and family left this week for Kingsville to which place Rev. Fred was transferred since the meeting of the annual conference. They carry with them to their new home the good will and best wishes of a large circle of friends in Hondo irrespective of church affiliation.

Owing to the inclement weather last Monday, clean-up day was something of a failure. The Board of Health and the Mothers' Club urge upon all to continue the work of sanitation until we have a clean, attractive town. An inspection of premises will be made in the near future to see how well the admonition has been heeded.

District Clerk August Kempf presented us with a couple of pears from his Kieffer pear tree Tuesday. The pears were as fine specimens of that fruit as we ever saw, one being about twelve inches in circumference, and of excellent flavor. The tree which bore them is about 15 years old and produced a half barrel of fruit this season without irrigation.

Notice.

To the voters of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Hondo, Medina County, Texas.

I take this means of expressing my heartfelt thanks to the voters of this precinct for the generous support and re-election to the Office of Justice of the Peace of your humble servant and do now pledge myself to dispense Justice as I have heretofore done.

Thanking you again, I remain
Yours truly,
A. M. LAMM.

To The Voters of Medina County.

I wish to thank all those who so loyally supported me with their votes and influence in the recent election and to assure those who voted for my opponent that I bear no one any ill will. It shall be my earnest effort to so discharge the duties of the office of Tax Assessor as to win the good-will and support of all. Again thanking you, I am,
Yours to serve,
L. E. HEATH.

Card of Thanks.

To those who so generously honored me with their support at the polls Tuesday I desire in this manner to extend my sincere thanks. It shall be my endeavor during my tenure of office to so conduct the duties of public weigher that when my term expires my friends will have no cause to regret the partiality shown me on election day.
Sincerely,
HARM FRERICHES.

To The Voters.

I wish to thank you one and all for your confidence and support at the late election and assure you that I will try in the future as in the past to make you the very best Tax Collector I can. Again thanking you, I am,
Yours to serve,
JOE NEY.

Posted.

My pasture, known as the Jacob Reilly Ranch, is posted and all hunting, camping or trespassing is forbidden under penalty of the law.

Feb. 1, pd. L. O. JOHNSON.

Geo. Schuehle was up from Lacoste this week on business, returning yesterday.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday to W. J. Brucks and Miss Rosa Marie Riff.

Up to Thursday night of this week there had been shipped from this place this season 4612 bales of cotton.

At the regular meeting of the Royal Arch Chapter Tuesday night several candidates were elected to take the Chapter degrees.

Mrs. J. Ira Hurt and children left yesterday for Yorktown on a visit to relatives. Mr. Hurt accompanied them as far as San Antonio.

Mr. Benito Rodriguez and Miss Estifana Martinez were married Friday, Nov. 6, 1914. Judge A. M. Lamm performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilliam have as their guests Mrs. Wesley Peacock, Mrs. P. L. Elliott and son, Mrs. Wm. R. McIver and son, Mrs. Kate Clark and son and Mr. L. R. Whitten all of San Antonio.

The Rebekah Lodge of Odd Fellows entertained with an enjoyable Halloween party at the hall Saturday night, and all present report a delightful time. The editor of this paper regrets that he could not accept the kind invitation to attend on account of conflicting dates.

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The House Without a Soul.

Something is missed from the meadows:
Something of bloom and of beam;
Morning is less than the morning, and
Twilight's sigh is a dream.
Lonesome the lilies that loved her, the
vine-flowers droop 'round the place
Where once they looked in at the win-
dow and smiled in her beautiful
face.
The house seems the Shadow of Silence,
yet speaks as the Silence will speak
When in halls that are curtained with
shadows of loved, vanished Pres-
ence we seek;
When each moment that knew her was
golden, with life in love's tender
control;
But now, 'tis a Home with the heart
gone—a House without even a
soul!
For though Love has gone but a jour-
ney, it has taken the light of a
life;
The red o' the rose, and the beauty of
"Mother," and "Sweetheart,"
and "Wife";
The green of the hills and the valleys,
the blue o' the shadowless skies—
As earth lacks the luster God gave it
when lost to the light of eyes.
I'm one in a dream, sleeping—waking
—a strange spirit, dwelling apart;
And, calling "Sweetheart!" to the
Silence that only can echo "Sweet-
heart!"
I say to the flowers that miss her:
"Not long for her touch shall you
wait;
Hark! a rustle of robes on the lawn
there—a latch-click, and . . .
Love at the gate!"
O the wonderful worth of one woman!
Life's dress turned to gold at her
touch!
It's by the dull silence of absence you
know that you love her so much—
It's the ache of the silence around
you—no love tones to answer
Love's call;
It's the place where the lost dreams
are sighing: The House With No
Soul tells it all!
Dream of her coming, rose gardens,
and woodlands where wild flowers
throng!
Sing, birds, breast-deep in the blos-
soms! for you have been silent so
long!
Seas cannot sunder a heart's love:
Love o'er the world claims his own;
Give a house back the Soul that has
left it, and a beautiful woman—
her throne!

Frank L. Stanton.

PLANT that winter oat crop!

THE cheerful loser always wins!

SUPERSTITION is the mother of
much folly!

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.
Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is
senior partner of the firm of P. J. Cheney
& Co., doing business in the City of To-
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that said firm will pay the sum of ONE
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FRANK J. CHENEY.
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QUESTION of the hour—did you
land your man?

THE election is over. Let's for-
get it—and get busy!

LOCAL advertisements cost
only a trifle. Try them.

It takes a real optimist to
welcome the bill collector!

THE situation in Mexico is still
chaotic and peace not yet in
sight.

You can now quit worrying
about the election and worry
about how you are going to pay
your taxes.

BE careful with your fire-arms.
Most of the hunting accidents
could be avoided by the exercise
of a little care.

It is the duty now of every
good citizen to lend a cheerful
support to the administration of
every new official.

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LAXATIVE- TONIC

"I was taken with a severe
headache and cold, which
finally brought on constipa-
tion and bowel trouble.
Physicians of all kinds were
used, and we were obliged
to resort to the fountain
syringe for help. I could
drink castor oil like water,
but it did no good. Salts
were of no use. The doc-
tors were puzzled. After
using three bottles of Peruna
I consider myself entirely
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PE-RU-NA
LAXATIVE- TONIC

Help Yourself and Others.

The rewards of life are auto-
matic. Give out good, and good
comes back to you again. Cast
thy bread upon the waters and
it shall return to you shortly—
battered.

Society rewards the people
who serve it.

Down in their hearts the wise
men know this truth: The only
way to help yourself is to help
others.

Competition that would kill and
destroy has got to go. But there
will always be emulation, which
is the rivalry of well-doing.

The first forms of competition
manifested themselves in fac-
tions, that often degenerated into
rivalries.

Then we had industrial war.

But finally we have reached
the suburbs of common sense,
and co-operation is at the door.

Instinctively, intuitively and
often blindly, mankind moves
forward.

Success comes from being of
service to mankind. There is
neither honor nor wealth except-
ing through one thing—service;
and it must be cheerful service
at that.

We are a part of Nature. Men
are the instruments of Deity. God
creates through us.

The strongest instinct in man
is the faculty of self-preservation,
and people are everywhere
beginning to realize that the
best way to protect their own in-
terests is by working for the
good of all.

That is good which serves, and
that is best which best serves all.

This nation can only be strong
by using the efforts of its strong
men. These men in control of
our great commercial institutions
have proved their fitness. The
men who are to operate the rail-
roads of the future will be the
men trained and educated by the
men now in power.

And the change will come as
quietly and imperceptibly as a
change in schedule. It will be
evolution—not revolution.

We must not flout everything
offered because it is not exactly
what we would like. Take what
you can get, and thank heaven
it is no worse.

If one word symbolizes broth-
erhood, that word is co-operation.

I believe in co-operation, even
with people I do not like, if it will
bring us any nearer the ideal!

We live in great times—the air
is all athrob with thought and
feeling. Great changes are now
being brought about, and never
was there a time when men of
steady judgment were more in
demand.

We want hopeful, earnest men,
and above all men of patience,
kindness and good cheer.

We want the opportunist—the
man who does what he can the
best he can, and who tomorrow
will do the same.

We want men who are cheer-
ful losers for only such are win-
ners.

Emulation and co-operation
must take the place of strife and
competition—then are we well
out on the highway to the Cele-
stial City of Fine Minds. —By El-
bert Hubbard.

ENGLAND'S war on Germany
has already secured for her a
revolt of her South African col-
onies. There is every probabili-
ty that her Egyptian posses-
sions will be invaded by the
Turks. And there is strong
possibility that her Mohammedan
subjects in India may join with
their Turkish brethren. If so
England may rue the day when
her jealousy of Germany's
growing commercial power in-
duced her to resort to the sword.
England should have weighed
these possibilities in time to have
avoided them and the European
war would now be over.

THE pranks of politics are as
peculiar as those of the fickle
goddess of chance. Only a
cheerful loser should play the
game!

THE fly is a Democrat.

He has no objection to associating
with you no matter who you are;
and his affection is so great that
he will climb all over you and
everything you have to eat.
Your fly is a true Christian. If
you swat him on one side he re-
turns to be swatted on the other
and he bears no malice nor
batted in his heart, and loves
his neighbor about the same that
he loves himself, perhaps more.
—Ex.

THE entrance of Turkey into
the European war will probably
involve several other countries
in the conflict and strengthens
the growing belief that the war
is to be a long drawn out as well
as a destructive affair. The
way Germany not only holds her
own against the combined pow-
ers of Europe but continues on
the aggressive has surprised the
world. The end of the conflict
is not yet in sight.

Wouldst thou the ways of happi-
ness divine?

Then seek it not in Fame or
worldly pelf,

But let thy heart to Wisdom's
ways incline.—

He is happiest who forgets
himself!

QUESTION of the hour—were
you ever too busy to collect
your thoughts?—Hondo Anvil
Herald. You bet. Once when
we tried to propose to a peach
of a girl.—Brackett News. And
Editor Price is still a bachelor!

BEFORE the wedding, they have
bridal showers; after that, it
rains.—State Topics. And Hon.
Jeff McElmore being a crusty
old bachelor, the question of the
hour is—how can he tell?

WHEN a man knocks on you
see how much income tax he is
paying—maybe he has a right to
knock.—The West Texas Maga-
zine.

WITH every privilege there is
a corresponding measure of
duty.—Texas Freemason.

Riomedina Roundups.

Mr. Louis P. Haby is very sick at
his home.

A barn belonging to Mr. Willie
Bourquin was burned early Thursday
morning, and about one thousand
bushels of corn.

Mr. Louis Schorp left Tuesday for a
brief visit to Uvalde.

Messrs. Edgar and Edwin Balzen
were here Tuesday from Sturm Hill.

Mrs. Edgar Balzen and Miss Dora of
Sturm Hill were here one day this
week.

Mrs. Alois Haby and little daughter,
Irene, and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Car-
son and baby were guests of Mrs.
Rader and family at Macdonia.

Mr. Albert Reitzer of Bandera county
was here Tuesday.

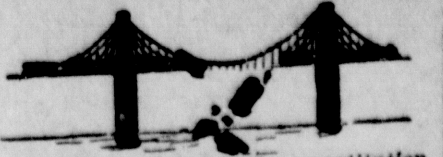
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haby of Biry
visited relatives here Saturday and
Sunday.



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anybody a chance to say: "I Told
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Up in Despair. Husband
Came to Rescue.

Patron, Ky.—In an interesting letter
from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock
writes as follows: "I suffered for four
years, with womanly troubles, and during
this time, I could only sit up for a little
while, and could not walk anywhere at
all. At times, I would have severe pains
in my left side.
The doctor was called in, and his treat-
ment relieved me for a while, but I was
soon confined to my bed again. After
that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand
and I gave up in despair.
At last, my husband got me a bottle of
Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I com-
menced taking it. From the very first
dose, I could tell it was helping me. I
can now walk two miles without tire-
tiring me, and am doing all my work."
If you are all run down from womanly
troubles, don't give up in despair. Try
Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped
more than a million women, in its 20
years of continuous success, and should
surely help you, too. Your druggist has
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LACOSTE DOTS.

Items of Interest Culled from The Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bohl were called to San Antonio Monday to investigate the damage done to their property on West Commerce St. near the Alazan. The flood washed the fence away, and water was four feet in the house.

A big auto mobile plow was unloaded here this week for a couple of our enterprising farmers, Messrs. Reuss and Gettrich, used on their farm near here.

W. A. Luckenbach, Paul Christilles, Alfred Mangold and Ferdinand Zuercher took in the dance at Castroville Wednesday night and they report a fine time.

Mat Keller and wife of Devine were here in their car Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. Leopold Zuercher passed through here on his way home after being at Castroville to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Della Zuercher (nee Haby) Tuesday.

Mr. Gerhard Ihnken of Castroville was here Tuesday sporting his new Hupmobile.

Mr. August Bader and wife of Bader Settlement were business visitors here Monday.

Miss Ida Conrad left for San Antonio today on a visit to relatives.

Mr. Ferdinand Boehme accompanied his wife to town where she boarded the train for San Antonio to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mangold spent one day last week on their ranch at Noonan.

Mr. Geo. L. Haass of Devine was here on business Thursday last.

Mr. Gus Kroeger gave the residence of Mr. Alex Hitzfelder a neat coat of paint.

Mrs. Theresa Mangold gave another Quilting Party Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Joe L. Zuercher made a business trip to Hondo Sunday.

Carpenter A. Reymann and assistants completed the dwelling for Mr. John Zuercher Tuesday.

Messrs. Emil and Geo. Heyen, Ben Miller, and Oscar Saathoff of Hondo, Henry, Joe and Willie Schott of Devine were here for the dance Sunday night.

Mesdames Henry Salzman and Henry Ahr and children spent Monday in Castroville.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bohl Friday, October 23, a girl, and the same day a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jungman.

Mr. Louis Zinsmeyer and daughter and Mr. Rudolph Zinsmeyer and family of Diley are here on a visit to Alfred Keller and family.

Mr. J. O. Holzhaus of the Castroville Quill paid the Herald a pleasant little call yesterday.

D. B. Martin was in Lacoste Thursday in the interest of his candidacy, and dropped in to see the Herald force.

L. E. Heath and Jack Biry were here Wednesday and Thursday in the interest of Mr. Heath's candidacy.

It Really Does Relieve Rheumatism.

Everybody who is afflicted with Rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

Loses a Good Citizen.

By departure this week of M. Davis and family to Hondo, Texas, Caddo and vicinity loses a mighty good citizen. Mr. Davis recently sold his place north of Caddo, and has moved to Texas. We sincerely dislike to lose Mr. Davis, but commend him to the people with whom he wishes to cast his lot.—The Caddo Oklahoma Herald.

Mr. Davis and family arrived here last week and are comfortably domiciled in Hondo. So far they are well pleased with their new location.

An Active Liver Means Health.

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In settling up your little accounts don't forget to pay your subscription. Remember the hard times hit the newspaper man as hard as any one else and he needs the money. If not convenient to pay in cash, however, we will accept any thing we can use in payment of subscription.

CASTROVILLE

Anvil Sparks.

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Mr. Otto Haby happened to a very painful accident last Sunday evening. While pushing his automobile into the Garage by hand, he got the index finger in between the spoke and brake and tore the finger off at the first joint. Otto is getting along as well as can be expected.

Seb, Tschirhart Jr. returned from a six week's stay in Bandera Co. Monday evening where he had been plying the carpenter's trade on the ranch of his father-in-law, Mr. Leopold Haby.

Quite a gloom was cast over our little town Monday noon when the sad news of the demise of Mrs. John Zuercher reached here. As this paper has already published a write-up, we will not undertake to repeat same. We sincerely join in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken families. May she rest in peace.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer were Alamo City visitors Wednesday.

Geo. Etter suffered burns to his hand and arm Wednesday, caused by the explosion of a gasoline tank at Castroville Auto Co. Garage.

Postmaster Alex E. Tondre was a D'Hanis business visitor Wednesday.

The dance given by the Rihn-Schmitt Orchestra, at the Empire House on Wednesday night was largely attended and very much enjoyed. The best of order prevailed.

News reached here Thursday morning that fire had destroyed the Crib and contents, about one thousand bushels of corn, of Wm. Bourquin of Calif. Origin of the conflagration is not known.

Friday evening Miss Emma Marty discovered fire in an out house on her mother's place and gave alarm at

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Messrs. Jacob Reinhart, C. W. Crews and Quinn Braden returned Monday night from Uvalde where they were on the jury.

Mr. A. J. Durham shipped a car load of hogs Saturday. Before shipping he weighed them on the public weigher's scales. He had sixty head and they weighed 13,390 lbs. making an average of 223 lbs. each. If you want to make a fortune raising hogs, come to the Sabinal Country.

Mr. B. Marks was in San Antonio the first of the week attending the Scottish Rite Masons reunion. He reports a fine time.

Mr. Joe Reynolds and little son came out from San Antonio Wednesday and went out to the Matthews ranch. The little boy will stay with his grandmother awhile.

Don't Delay Treating Your Cough.

A slight cough often becomes serious. Lungs get congested. Bronchial Tubes fill with mucus. Your vitality is reduced. You need Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It soothes your irritated air passages, loosens mucus and makes your system resist colds. Give the Baby and Children Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It's guaranteed to help them. Only 25c of your Druggist.

A woman seldom makes a fool of a man. She merely points the way and he does the rest himself.

MOTHERS OF DELICATE CHILDREN

Should Read the Following Letter—Mrs. Slack's Story About Her Child's Recovery Is Entirely Reliable.

Palmyra, Pa.—"Three years ago my little girl had black measles which left her with a chronic cough and so awfully thin you could count all her ribs, and she coughed so much she had no appetite."

"Nothing we gave her seemed to help her at all until one day Mrs. Neibert told me how much good Vinol had done her little girl, so I decided to try it for my little one, and it has done her so much good she is healthy all the time, her cough is gone, she is stouter and more healthy in color and this is the first winter she has been able to play out in the snow, coasting and snow-balling without any ill effects."—Mrs. ALFRED SLACK, Palmyra, Pa.

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If we can induce you to try a bottle of Vinol as a body-builder and strength-giver for your child, and you do not find it all we claim, we will return your money on demand.

W. H. Windrow, druggist, Hondo, Tex.

once and the flames were soon extinguished after only damaging a basket of clothing. The origin of this fire is also unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hans and son, Harry, Mrs. Ed Jungman and daughter, Miss Clara, and Joe L. Tschirhart were Alamo City visitors Friday.

Dr. J. T. FitzSimons and Capt. L. W. Durrell were also San Antonio business visitors Friday.

Messrs. Hy. Vordie, Wm. Rihn, Joe Hans and Otto Braun took in the Races at Biry Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart of Noonan on Sunday, Nov. 1st, a son.

The weather has been threatening Sunday, and today at this writing a slow soaking rain is falling.

Mrs. Alfred Rihn visited San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry V. Haass of Hondo spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Phil Jagge this week.

Miss Pauline Vollmer of San Antonio spent Sunday here visiting her mother, Mrs. John Vollmer Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken and Miss Meda Boehme of Chicon were here one day in their new Hupmobile.

Miss Annie Kilhorn of Lytle visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilhorn this week.

Miss Clara Rihn of San Antonio spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rihn.

Mrs. Theresa Spettler of Bandera is visiting Mrs. Joe Brieden for several days.

Miss Celia Wurzbach returned from a pleasant visit to San Antonio Saturday.

Castroville, Nov. 2, 1914.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party was given to Mr. Hy. Schulte Saturday night, Oct. 31st. Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Schulte and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Bohlen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hutzler and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Hutzler and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutzler and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiemers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riff and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mann and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oeffinger and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Balzen and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Mumme and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Burger, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Hutzler, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nehr, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Breiten, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulte, Mrs. Lina Burger and daughter, Mrs. Ad. Biediger and children, Misses Annie and Christina Saathoff, Rosa Riff, Ida Brucks, Hulda Hartmann, Clara Hutzler, Lisetta Breiten, Anna and Emma Nietenhoefer, Hulda Schulte, and Messrs. Albert Saathoff, Robert and Ernest Nietenhoefer, Fritz Hartmann, Henry, George and Joe Boehle, Geo. Burger, Julius, Louis and Ernest Grell, W. E., W. J. and Frank Brucks, Ed Riff, Ehme Schulte, L. Hutzler, F. W. Erck, Christian Wiemers, Julius Hutzler, Alf. and Ed Schulte, Hugo Reitzer and Henry Carle.

At 12 o'clock coffee and cake were served and plenty of refreshments during the night. Dancing was kept up until a late hour, when the strains of "Home Sweet Home" were played and sent all to their homes wishing Mr. Schulte many happy returns of the day.

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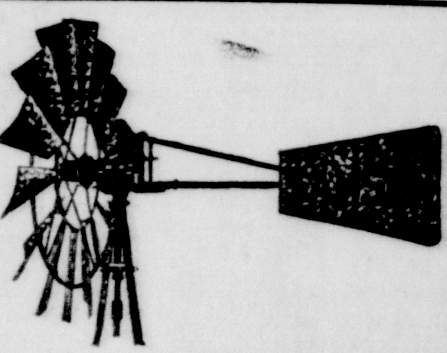
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No. 5765 Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Hondo

at Hondo, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$221,343.19
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,441.41
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation	50,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	7,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	549.98
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings	3,122.98
Due from approved Reserve Agents in Central Cities	\$2,629.95; in other Reserve Cities \$30,636.90
Checks and other Cash Items	33,266.85
Notes of other National Banks	473.29
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents	1,195.00
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	114.04
Specie	\$13,565.25
Legal-tender notes	160.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	18,725.25
Total	2,500.00
Total	\$332,731.99
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	21,500.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	5,498.35
National Bank Notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other National Banks	1,073.20
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	7,509.54
Individual deposits subject to check	186,745.90
Time deposits payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	400.00
Certified checks	5.00
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed	10,000.00
Total	\$332,731.99

State of Texas, County of Medina, ss:
I, J. M. Finger, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. FINGER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Nov. 1914.
ELMER DE MONTEL,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
ED. DE MONTEL,
JOE FOHN,
GEO. W. JONES, Directors.

To The Public.

Having leased the C. R. Gaines Garage, we will continue the business at the same stand and will do all kinds of automobile repair work. Also sell gasoline, oils, etc. Will be open for business on and after Nov. 15th. Your patronage respectfully solicited.
Yours for business,
CARTER & HAASS.

Weather Report.

Hondo, Texas, Oct. 1914. Total rainfall, 3.81 inches.
Temperature, highest 92 degrees on 10th lowest 42 degrees on 15th.
Total rainfall since Jan. 1st 1914, 23.01 inches.
Average last ten years 23 inches.
H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Reporter.

Notice.

We have in the vicinity of Hondo, a very fine Factory Sample Piano with stool and scarf to match. Rather than ship back will sell at a sacrifice. Easy terms.
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MRS. D. A. CHIPMAN,
Bandera,
Texas.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means to thank all for their assistance and kindness during the illness of our dear wife and mother.
Respectfully,
HENRY GARRETT,
and Children.

Notice.

Our pastures are posted according to law and any one found hunting or trespassing therein will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
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BLACKALLER BROS.

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We can use several more hundred pounds of butter fat each week, paying 27c at present.
HINDMAN & CONELEY,
Proprietors.

No. 113 Official Statement of the Financial Condition of THE HONDO STATE BANK

at Hondo, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of October, 1914, published in the Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 7th day of November, 1914.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$94,957.84
Loans, real estate	8,795.00
Overdrafts	420.75
Real Estate (banking house)	6,164.70
Furniture and Fixtures	1,800.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	\$20,424.34
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,548.55
Cash Items	2,726.54
Currency	4,609.00
Specie	6,077.54
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,885.92
Other Resources as follows:	
Assessment for Bank Guaranty Fund	257.45
Total	\$149,667.63

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	6,250.00
Undivided Profits, net	6,972.85
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	528.42
Individual Deposits subject to check	90,916.36
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	15,000.00
Total	\$149,667.63

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina, ss: We, E. R. Leinweber as president, and H. F. King as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. R. LEINWEBER, President.
H. F. KING, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of November, A. D. 1914.
(Seal) AUG. HORNUNG,
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.
Correct—Attest:
WM. A. SCHMITT,
I. H. KING,
P. JUNGMAN, JR., Directors.

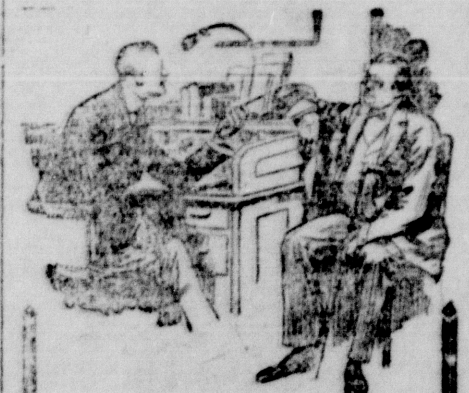
Presbyterian Church Notice.

Rev. C. S. Long, Pastor of the Hondo Presbyterian Church, will conduct services every 4th Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours. Elder C. M. Licklider preaches every third Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. The public is invited to attend all of the services of the church.

Posted.

My ranch is posted and all hunting or trespassing therein is forbidden under penalty of the law.
Feb. 1 pd. JOHN FRERICH.

For Sale, A few full-blood Plymouth Rock Cockerels and Pullets at \$1.00 each. Now is your chance to put some fine blood in your poultry flock cheap. First come, first pick. Apply at the Anvil Herald office.



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YOU'RE located in the wrong town. Closed seventeen saloons last Spring, the first institutions to come across with their taxes. You voted yourselves out of those good funds, and what has it got you? Practically a dead town.

You tried to deprive men of their personal rights. You told 'em they couldn't drink beer, even moderately as they had been doing. Men who couldn't even get beer in respectable beer saloons, got unlimited quantities of cheap, stronger drinks in the countless blind pigs that your blue laws created.

Those orderly saloons were the Liberty Hall of many workmen who sought an hour's relaxation, amusement, fellowship. To them, they were what a club is to you and me. Naturally, denied the privilege of drinking an occasional glass, they skulked to the convenient speak-easies and became law breakers.

There you are, Williams. None of my money for a town that clamps down the lid—not on intemperance, but on business and sobriety.

—Advertisement

GOT REALISM HE WANTED

Film Director Went After Substantial Thrills, and Pictures Show He Obtained Them.

Ned Finley, one of the Vitaphone directors, believes in realism and always makes every effort to inject substantial thrills in his pictures, often going to the extreme limit of caution. In a very recent film story on which he was at work, he engaged the services of a sharpshooter, whose duty was to make a "hit" as close to the director as he dared. The scene of the picture shows Mr. Finley shooting from a dismantled barn with bullets splintering the wood within a few inches of his body. In the same picture, Mr. Finley falls from a horse and rolls down an embankment. The first time he essayed the fall, it was so realistic that a new camera man became so interested in its sensational realism he neglected to film the scene. A second attempt, the next day, was spoiled by a spectator, who, thinking Mr. Finley was hurt, rushed in front of the camera. The third time was successful, so far as the actual taking of the scene was concerned, but Mr. Finley, in his headlong descent down the embankment, failed to notice a tree stump and a collision resulted in a very much bruised director, but a happy one, because of his realistic ambitions being fully realized.

Stars in a New Play.

Blanche Sweet is featured in "For Her Father's Sins," a two-reel film play produced by Jack O'Brien. In the production is told how a college girl, daughter of a wealthy, miserly department store owner, leaves her home and works under an assumed



Al Fillison.

name to learn how the underpaid clerks live.

As the result of her investigations, she forces her father to increase the wages of his employees and incidentally saves him from being killed by a dissatisfied workman. A pretty romance is woven into the production. Wallace Reid, Billie West and Al Fillison have prominent parts. The scenario was written by Anita Doos.

New Series of Plays.

Four new series of photoplays by prominent authors are announced for future presentation. Each play will be complete in itself, treating an individual incident. "Below the Dead Line," by Scott Campbell, will be a detective series; "Young Lord Strangle," adapted from the stories by Robert Barr, which appeared in a well-known weekly, will be produced in four two-reel subjects; "Oliver's Opportunities," written especially for motion pictures by Mrs. Wilson Woodrow, and "The Girl Who Earns Her Own Living," by Mark Swan, are the other future serial plays.

Novel Moving Picture.

A novelty in motion picture presentation is promised in the forthcoming moving picture, entitled "The Bachelor's Baby," a comedy drama, in which two tiny children take the leading parts. The story deals with a wealthy girl's financial ruin, her fight to support herself as a governess, and her final reconciliation to her former sweetheart through the children she cares for.

Hoosier Poet Seen in Films.

An interesting future Selig production is a drama based on James Whitcomb Riley's famous first poem, "The Ole Swinmin' Hole." The noted poet will himself be seen on the screen in a prologue.

Bernstein's Play to Be Filmed.

Henri Bernstein's dramatic success, "The Thief," which was produced in this country by Charles Frohman, is now being adapted for pictures, and will soon be "filmed."

THE UGLY GIRL

By GEORGE FOXHALL

(Copyright)
Snarler Kelly peered through the bars into the prison cell in which sullen, defiant and nursing a desperate revenge, his only son.

"How is it, Jim? Cheer up, boy. Two years don't last long."
"No, it won't be long," agreed the son. "Don't worry about me."
"Jim, I know you never pulled the job. Somebody's stuck the goods on you an' got you in queer."

The other looked up with slow inquiry. "What makes you think so, he asked."

"Think so! Weren't you always blamed honest to suit your dad? You act tough an' ugly, an' rough house with the best of 'em; but I never could get you to be anything but honest. Somebody's crooked this on to you, an' I'm going to find out who did it."

His father leered at him through half-closed eyes of infinite cunning. "Be waiting for me when I come out," assented Jim, with more warmth and life than he had shown before, "and let me know who it is. I guess two years won't make me be him more."

His father turned and passed to the light of the free air, while the looked after him with a slow, dreadful hate.

Snarler Kelly plugged along alongside the railroad track and mated on ugliness. Even apart from the dismal desert landscape he had plenty of material for meditation, to achieve ugliness had been the ambition of his degenerate life, and that, at least, he had not failed.

But it's the boy, Jim, with this story is chiefly concerned. Snarler had built up fond hopes being mighty proud of Jim, for at early age Jim showed himself as a pupil in the lessons of ugliness which his fond parent constantly instilled.

One day, the time, in the estimate of the Snarler, being ripe for definite instruction in the training his offspring, he had broached to Jim the pulling of a pretty bit of lousy which was to nourish his empty exchequer and start the pug man upon his natural career.

The boy listened until the man through, his eyes on the ground, his accustomed scowl knitting a brow. Then he looked up.

"That's thieving, ain't it?" he quired.

The Snarler was a little taken aback for a moment. To qualify things never occurred to him.
"Sure, Mike," he said unheedingly.
"Then count me out," growled the boy.
So the kid refused his parent's the Snarler, after hiding his disgust three days of oblivion, resumed with the careful cowardice of these sneak-thief.

But at length there came a time when, tempted by a seemingly opportunity into larger operation, ardence overreached care, and the became too hot for Snarler's peasant mind. And so, with simple cunning he had pulled the trick that saved and sent his son to jail.

Certainly it was upon ugliness Snarler meditated as he plodded along alongside the railroad at Night drew in, and in the distance saw against the dark sky the pale glare of an engine's exhaust.

Ten minutes later he had seen himself thankfully into the open car. He struck a match to find bearings, and found himself into the barrel of a big revolver, dared to do anything but hold his match.

The other came to his relief with short laugh. "That's all right," said he. "I thought maybe you was shacked, an' I'll put a shack's light before I'll hit the ties and start this desert. I'm a tough guy, I am."

"I don't blame you," agreed Snarler. "I was kicked off yesterday, after I'd lost my gun. I hadn't lost it—I'm a tough guy, I am." He finished significantly.

Overhead there was the sound heavy shoes. Then there was a flicker of a light. With easy stride a brakeman had swung himself into the car, his lantern swung by a strap around his neck.

"Hit the gravel!" he growled, and held the light on them.

"Beat it," snapped the tramp, putting his big gun into the foreground. But it was Kelly on whom the man's eye rested, and he lowered his lantern quickly.

"Beat it, d'ye hear!" again ordered the gunman.

Suddenly the brakeman dropped one knee. Like a flash his hand went in and out of his overall's pocket, a gunman's bullet went high and passed through the open door, but the man's shot took the other forward—eyes, and he lurched forward—

With hardly a look at him the man turned his gun upon the Snarler.

"Turn around an' put your hands behind your back," he ordered.

The Snarler laughed, a trifle merrily and sheepishly.

"What's the matter, Jim?" said "Don't you know your old dad? I sure are an ugly guy."

And Jim put his face close to father's. "You bet I know you, you bet I'm an ugly guy. You turn me in ugliness, an' I'm learning every day. Your name's scratched on the gun, an' there's a sheriff at the stop. It's an ugly circle, an' you drew it yourself. Turn around."